

*to enter into reciprocal agreements with the responsible officers of other states, under which motor vehicles, trailers or semitrailers owned by citizens of such states and engaged in commercial transportation may be operated in this state without a Wisconsin registration, provided like privileges are accorded to vehicles owned by Wisconsin citizens in such other states, but the secretary of state shall have no authority to enter into such reciprocal agreements covering motor vehicles, trailers or semitrailers engaged in commercial transportation over regular routes or between fixed termini, or those operating for direct or indirect hire.*

*(c) If any of the exemptions provided for in paragraph (b) of this subsection shall be held invalid and unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, the class or classes held to be invalidly exempted shall forthwith become subject to the provisions of paragraph (a) as if no exemption had been provided for. Such declaration of invalidity as to any of the foregoing exempted classes shall not affect the validity of any other provision of this subsection, and all such provisions are hereby declared to be severable.*

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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#### CHAPTER 445.

AN ACT to amend paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section 20.49 of the statutes, as created in chapter 22, laws of 1931, to remove doubts as to the constitutionality of this section, relating to the allotment of moneys received from highway funds by cities of the first class.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section 20.49 of the statutes is amended to read: (20.49) (2) (b) From the first allotment received by each city of the first class \* \* \* under paragraph (a) of this subsection, the city treasurer shall set aside for the respective city school funds established by law, amounts approximately the same as the amounts provided for

such school funds from the collection of the property tax on motor vehicles in such city levied in the year \* \* \* *preceding the year in which this paragraph takes effect.* The amount of such tax so collected shall be arrived at in the manner provided in subsection (1) of section 85.045 and shall be computed by the city comptroller who shall certify his computation to the city treasurer. From \* \* \* *each subsequent* allotment received by each such city \* \* \* annually thereafter, the city treasurer shall annually set aside for each such school fund an amount which bears the same proportion to the amount set aside for such fund in the previous year as the total allotment received bears to the total allotment received in the previous year, but in no case shall the amount set aside for any such fund be less than the amount set aside \* \* \* *from the first allotment received under paragraph (a) of this subsection.*

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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### CHAPTER 446.

AN ACT to authorize cities of the first class to hold a special election pursuant to chapter 275 of the laws of 1931 without conforming to the provisions of subsection (1) of section 6.04 and subsection (2) of section 6.05 insofar as said subsections relate to the expiration of a period of four months subsequent to the official changing of the location of polling booths and division and consolidation of election precincts by said cities of the first class.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Whenever any city of the first class shall in the manner and form provided by chapter 275 of the laws of 1931 propose to submit to the electors of such city at any special election called for such purpose the question of the approval of said chapter by the electors of said city, the provisions of subsection (1) of section 6.04 and subsection (2) of section 6.05 shall be inoperative so far as the provisions of said subsections relate to the